

## Creative Writing

Everyone enjoys successfully relating their ideas to others on paper. The easiest and most satisfying way to relate ones innermost thoughts and feelings is through the composition of personal writing or poetry. You can become a writer through the application of the craft of writing from your individual emotional experiences.

Wed. Feb 19 - April 2  
6-7:30pm  
\$25 class fee

## Sewing I

A sewing class designed especially for beginners. This class is taught in a sewing lab at CSISD and sewing machines are furnished for your in class use. Learn to select patterns, layout fabric for cutting, basic construction techniques and finishing. A great way to begin to learn to sew.

Tues. Feb 4 - March 18  
7-9pm  
\$40 class fee

## Sewing II

Take your sewing knowledge just one stitch further and learn some more advanced techniques. Class will cover finishing methods, button, zippers and other garment embellishments. Make your own garments, be original AND save lots of money.

Tues. March 25 - April 29  
7-9pm  
\$40 class fee

## Writing for Fun

A writing class to introduce the novice writer to the world of creativity and to further develop the skills of existing writers. This course introduces the writer to the basics of composing written ideas into short stories, articles, poems, passages and written manuscripts. The production of ideas into a manuscript, procedures for submission, and publication avenues will be explored. Bring a sample of your writing to the first class. Learn how to get your ideas onto paper and then into print.

Wed. April 9 - May 7  
7:30-9pm  
\$35 class fee

## Quilting

Quilting is a useful and beautiful art that has been respected and cherished for generations. Learn this art as well as new techniques for fault-free piecing. A 12 block sampler quilt will be completed by each student with a variety of block types. Piecing, applique, outline quilting, paper piecing, sashing, bordering and binding will be covered. Supply list is available upon registration. Sewing machine is required for each class meeting.

Section A Thurs. Feb 6 - March 20  
6-8pm  
\$40 class fee

Section B Thurs. March 27- May 1  
6-8pm  
\$40 class fee

## Hardanger Embroidery

Learn the basics of hardanger embroidery that can be used as art itself or to embellish deco items, clothing, accessories, and linens. An in class fee of \$5 will cover all supplies needed for this workshop.

Sat. Feb 8  
10am - 12 noon  
\$10 class fee

## Silk Ribbon Embroidery

This is a very popular technique that is easy to learn and so useful in artworks and wearables. The basic stitches are easy to learn and applicable to many uses. Learn all the basic stitches in this beginner level workshop. There will be an in class fee of \$5 for all supplies.

Sat. April 12  
10am-12noon  
\$10 class fee

## Knitting

Wouldn't it be fun to be able to knit your own sweaters? There are many applications for knitted yarn. Learn all the basics and develop your own style. A \$5 in class fee will cover all of the materials for this class.

Tues. Feb 4, 11, 18  
6-8pm  
\$30 class fee

## Smocking

This workshop is structured to teach you all the basics of the art of heirloom smocking. An old-world needlecraft that has many popular current applications. Fashion your own keepsake garments and personalized seasonal decorations. Supplies will be purchased in class from instructor for \$5.

Sat. Jan 25  
10am-12noon  
\$10 class fee

## Cross Stitch

The basic stitches are easy to learn and applicable to many uses. Learn all the basic stitches in this beginner level workshop and then begin your own projects. A great class for all.

Sat. Feb 15  
10am-12noon  
\$5 class fee

## Lace & Linen Denim Shirts

Start with a basic denim shirt and learn the principles of design, combinations of components, and project plans to create your own fashion garments. Mix and match old and new laces and linens and add other fabric notions for your shirt.

Mon. March 17, 24, 31  
6-9pm  
\$20 class fee

## Embroidery

The basic stitches are easy to learn and applicable to many uses. Learn all the basic stitches in this beginner level workshop. There will be an in class fee of \$5 for all supplies.

Sat. April 12  
10am-12noon  
\$10 class fee

## Crochet

This class is offered specifically with the beginning crochet student in mind. Learn the basics of the single and double crochet stitch. Combinations of single and double crochet stitches can be used to create patterns, designs, and lettering. A \$5 in class fee will cover all of the materials.

Thurs. Jan 30, Feb 6, 13  
6-8pm  
\$30 class fee